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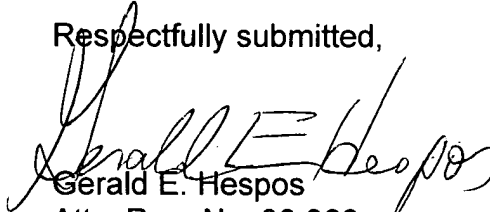
Sir:

The subject matter of this application relates to the subject matter disclosed and claimed in copending Appl. No. 09/731,170. The attached copy of Form PTO-1449 identifies the references that have been made of record in connection with the copending application.

The assignee of the subject invention also is prosecuting Appl. No. 10/439,830, and the subject matter of that copending application also is somewhat relevant to the subject matter of this application.

The Examiner is requested to consider the two copending applications referenced above and to make the references listed on the attached copy of Form PTO-1449 of record.

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